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THE CONTHED SHAVES OF AMERICA

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pioneer Gi-Bred International, Inc.

Takereas, there has been presented to the

Secretary of Agriculture

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED NOVEL VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(S) INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) ADJUDGED TO BE ENTITLED TO A CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION IS TO GRANT UNTO THE SAID APPLICANT(S) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF eighteen years from the date of this grant, subject to the payment of the required fees and periodic replenishment of viable basic seed of the variety in a public repository as provided by LAW, the right to exclude others from selling the variety, or offering it for sale, or reproducing it, importing it, or exporting it, or using it in producing a hybrid or different ty therefrom, to the extent provided by the Plant Variety Protection Act 1542, as amended, 7 u.s.c. 2321 et seq.)

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In Testimony Materiot, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Plant Variety Protection Office to be affixed at the City of Washington, D.C. this 30th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-three.

Attosk:

Kennett & Evan

Commissioner

Plant Variety Protection Office

Agricultural Marketing Service

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FORM APPROVED: OMB 0581-0055, Expires 1/31/91

U.S. DEPARTMENT AGRICULTURAL MA	OF AGRICULTURE		i virg	Application is regulred in order t			
APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARI	ETY PROTECT	ION CERTIFICA	TE	determine if a plant; variety protection certificate is to be issued (7 U.S.C. 2421) Information is held confidential unti- certificate is issued (7 U.S.C. 2426).			
NAME OF APPLICANT(S) (as it is to appear on the Certificate)		2. TEMPORARY DE EXPERIMENTAL	SIGNATION OR	3. VARIETY NAME			
Pioneer Hi-Bred Internationa	1, Inc.	WBB281Q6		2684 21 Sent 199.			
4. ADDRESS (street and no. or R.F.D. no., city, state, and ZIP) Dept. of Wheat Breeding R.R. 1 Box 297A		5. PHONE (Include	erea code)	FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY PVPO NUMBER			
Windfall, IN 46076		(317) 945	-7906	9300171			
				[Mar. 18, 1993			
6. GENUS AND SPECIES NAME	7. FAMILY NAME (B)	ofanical)		Time			
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8. CROP KIND NAME (Common Name)	1	9. DATE OF DETERMINAT	ION	F Filing and Examination Fee:			
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Corporation				C Certificate Fee:			
11. IF INCORPORATED, GIVE STATE OF INCORPORATION	12	2. DATE OF INCORPORATIO	N.	E \$275.00			
Iowa		May 1926		Date Lept. 2,1993			
13 NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVE(S), IF ANY Dr. Gregory C. Marshall	TO SERVE IN THIS APPLICATION	CATION AND RECEIVE ALL P	APERS	0 Algor. 2,1793			
Pioneer Hi-Bred International R.R. 1 Box 297A Windfall, IN 46076 14. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR EACH ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED (a.	ership. eed Sample mailed to Pla o "Treasurer of the United SOLD BY VARIETY NAME (below) NO (int Variety Protection Offic il States." DNLY AS A CLASS OF CERT If "NO." skip to item 18 belov S" TO ITEM 16, WHICH CLAS	IFIED SEED? (See	section 83(a) of the Plant Variety			
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19. HAS THE VARIETY BEEN RELEASED, USED, OFFERED FOR SALE, OF YES (If "YES," give names of countries and dates) NO	R MARKETED IN THE U.S. (OR OTHER COUNTRIES?					
20. The applicant(s) declare(s) that a viable sample of basic request in accordance with such regulations as may be ap The undersigned applicant(s) is (are) the owner(s) of th uniform, and stable as required in section 41, and is entit Applicant(s) is (are) informed that false representation be	plicable. is sexually reproduce led to protection unde	d novel plant variety, r the provisions of secti	and believe(s on 42 of the Pla) that the variated in distinct			
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT (Owner(s))	CAPACITY O	OR TITLE 1	11	DATE			
Gregory C. Marshall SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT (OWNER(S))	Coordin Winter CAPACITY O	wheat Breeding	T T	3/16/93 DATE			
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FORM CSSD-470 (5-89) Edition of FORM LS-470, 3-86, is obsolete.

14A. Exhibit A. Origin and Breeding History of Pioneer Wheat Cultivar WBB281Q6 2684 ANA 21 Sept 1997

Pioneer cultivar WBB281Q6, Triticum aestivum L., em Thell., a soft red winter wheat was developed by Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc.. Using a pedigree selection breeding method, WBB281Q6 was derived from the three parent cross: Pioneer line 'W9057B' / 'Caldwell' // 'Hunter'.

Pioneer line W9057C was derived from the cross: Pioneer line 'W605'/'IN 5517'. IN 5517 was an experimental line from Indiana. Pioneer line W605 was derived from the cross: 'IN4946-A4-18-2'/'MO W7510'; experimental lines from Indiana and Missouri, respectively. The single cross: W9057B/Caldwell (designated 'WBA800') was made in the 1981 spring greenhouse cycle at Windfall, IN. The final cross WBA800/Hunter was made in the 1981 fall greenhouse cycle and coded 'WBB281'. The subsequent breeding history of WBB281Q6 was as follows:

Year	Generation	
1981	Final Cross	Cross designated WBB281
1982	F1	Grown in spring transplant nursery at Windfall, IN.
1982-83	F2	Bulk populations grown at Windfall, IN. Individual head selections made.
1983-84	F3	Headrows of F2 selections grown at Huntsville, AL.
1984-85	F 4	F3 selections grown in F4 headrows at St. Matthews, SC and Americus, GA.
1985-86	F 5	F4 selections grown in F5 headrows at St. Matthews, SC and Americus, GA.
1986-87	F 6	Early generation yield testing of F5 selections.
1987-88	F7	Individual head selections from yield plot grown in reselect headrows at St. Matthews, SC and Statesboro, GA.
1988-89	F8	Preliminary yield testing of F7 selections at St. Matthews, SC; one selection designated 'WBB281Q6'.
1989-90	F9	Advanced yield testing of WBB281Q6. 200 heads harvested.
1990-91	F10	Elite yield testing of WBB281Q6. 200 purification headrows grown, surrounded by .13 acre bulk increase at St. Matthews, SC. Breeder seed turned over to Pioneer Parent Seed Department for further increase.

1991-92 F11

Elite yield testing continued, designated as 'YW514'. Pioneer Parent Seed Department continued

increase.

1992-93 F12

Elite yield testing continued, designated as 'XW514'. Pioneer Parent Seed Department continued increase.

Decision to release will be made in August 1993, at which time WBB281Q6 will be assigned a commercial code.

The cultivar WBB281Q6 was bred and selected at each generation for any or all of the following characteristics: disease resistance, plant type, plant height, head type, straw strength, maturity, grain yield, test weight, and milling and baking qualities.

WBB281Q6 has been observed to be uniform and stable since the eighth generation, or the last four generations. Variants that may persist may be awnless and/or slightly taller plants at a frequency of less than 1/30,000, and/or non-waxy plants at a frequency of less than 1/50,000.

14B. Novelty Statement

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WBB28106 is most similar to Agripro variety Hunter, but with the following distinguishig characteristics:

- 1) WBB281Q6 is awned while Hunter is awnletted.
- 2) The coleoptile of WBB281Q6 is purple while the coleoptile of Hunter is white.
- 3) The glume beak of WBB281Q6 is acute while that of Hunter is obtuse.
- 4) The phenol reaction of WBB281Q6 is black while Hunter is brown.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE LIVESTOCK, MEAT, GRAIN AND SEED DIVISION BELTSVILLE, MARYLAND 20786 OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY

WHEAT (TRITICUM SPP.)

Pioneer Hi Brod International In	FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY
Pioneer Hi-Bred International, In ADDRESS (Street and No. or R.F.D. No., City, State, and ZIP Code)	C. PVPO NUMBER 0.7001.71
Dept. of Wheat Breeding	VARIETY NAME OR TEMPORARY
R.R. 1 Box 297A	DESIGNATION / 2684
Windfall, IN 46076	WBB281Q6 (temporary de
Place the appropriate number that describes the varietal charac Place a zero in first box (e-s- 0 8 9 or 0 9) when numbe	ter of this variety in the boxes below.
1, KIND:	t is clinicity of least of your least
1 1 = COMMON 2 = DURUM 3 = EMMER 4 = SPELT	5 = POLISH 6 = POULARD 7 = CLUB
2. TYPE,	2
2 1 = SPRING 2 = WINTER 3 = OTHER (Specify)	1 = SOFT 3 = OTHER (Specify) 2 = HARD
2 I = WHITE 2 = RED 3 = OTHER (Specify)	
3. SEASON - NUMBER OF DAYS FROM EMERGENCE TO:	
1 3 3 FIRST FLOWERING	1 3 8 LAST FLOWERING
. MATURITY (50% Flowering):	
0 9 NO. OF DAY'S EARLIER THAN	. 7 1 = ARTHUR 2 = SCOUT 3 = CHRIS
NO. OF DAYS LATER THAN	4 = LEMHI 5 = NUGAINES 6 = LEEDS 7 = 2548
PLANT HEIGHT (From soil level to top of head):	
0 8 9 cm. High	
0 4 CM. TALLER THAN	. 7
CM. SHORTER THAN	1 = ARTHUR 2 = SCOUT 3 = CHRIS 7=2548
PLANT COLOR AT BOOTING (See reverse):	7. ANTHER COLOR:
3 1 = YELLOW GREEN 2 = GREEN 3 = BLUE GREEN	1 1 = YELLOW 2 = PURPLE
STEM:	
Anthocyanin: I = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT	2 Waxy bloom: 1 = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT
2 Hairiness of last internode of rachis: 1 = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT	1 Internodes: 1 = HOLLOW 2 = SOLID
0 4 NO. OF NODES (Originating from node above ground)	1 7 CM. INTERNODE LENGTH BETWEEN FLAG LEAF AND LEAF BELOW
AURICLES:	
1 Anthocyanin: 1 = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT	1 Hairiness: = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT
LEAF:	
Flag leaf at 1 = ERECT 2 = RECURVED booting stage: 3 = OTHER (Specify):	2 Fing leaf: 1 = NOT TWISTED 2 = TWISTED
Hairs of first leaf sheath: = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT	2 Wany bloom of flag leaf sheath: I = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT

II. HE AU:	2 = DENSE 3=MID-DENS	Shape: 1 = TAPERING 2 = STRAP 3 = CLAVATE 4 = OTHER (Specily)
4 Awnedness: 1 = AW	NLESS 2 = APICALLY AWNLETED	3 = AWNLETED 4 = AWNED
Color at maturity: 5	= WHITE 2 = YELLOW 3 = PINK = BROWN 6 = BLACK 7 = 0	4 = RED OTHER (Specify):
0 9 CM. LENGTH		1 4 MM. WIDTH
· 1-3/1	TTY: (CA. 7 mm.) 2 = MEDIUM (CA. 8 mm.) (CA. 9 mm.)	3 Width: 1 = NARROW (CA. 3 mm.) 2 = MEDIUM (CA. 3.5 mm.) 3 = WIDE (CA. 4 mm.)
1 7 1	ING 2 = OBLIQUE 3 = ROUNDED RE 5 = ELEVATED 6 = APICULA	191
13. COLEOPTILE COLOR	it.	14. SEEDLING ANTHOCYANIN:
3 1 = WHITE 2 = R	ED 3 = PURPLE	2 1 = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT
15. JUVENILE PLANT GR	OWTH HABIT!	•
2 I = PROSTRATE	2 = SEMI-ERECT 3 =	ERECT
16. SEED:		
1 Shape: I = OVATE	2 = OVAL 3 = ELLIPTICAL	1 Cheek: 1 = ROUNDED 2 = ANGULAR
2 Brush. 1 = SHORT	2 = MEDIUM 3 = LONG	Brush: 1 = NOT COLLARED 2 = COLLARED
5 Phenol teaction (See instructions):	1 = IVORY 2 = FAWN 3 = LT. 8 4 = BROWN 5 = BLACK	ROWN
3 Color: 1 = WHITE	2 = AMBER 3 = RED 4 = PUR	PLE 5 = OTHER (Specity)
0 6 MM. LENGTH	0 4 MM. WIDTH	4 0 GM. PER 1000 SEEDS
17. SEED CREASE:		
Width: = 60% OR L	ESS OF KERNEL 'WINOKA'	Depth: 1 = 20% OR LESS OF KERNEL 'SCOUT'
	ESS OF KERNEL 'CHRIS'	2 = 35% OR LESS OF KERNEL 'CHRIS'
	AS WIDE AS KERNEL 'LEMHI' ted, 1 = Succeptible, 2 = Resistant)	3 = 50% OR LESS OF KERNEL 'LEMHI'
	2 LEAF RUST	O STRIPE RUST O LOOSE SMUT
2 POWDERY MILDEW	0 BUNT	OTHER (Specify)
19. INSECT: (0 = Not Texte	d, 1 = Susceptible, 2 = Resistant)	
O SAWFLY	O APHID (Bydv.)	O GREEN BUG CEREAL LEAF BEETLE
OTHER (Specify)	HESSIAN FLY	(1 GP 0 A 0 B 0 C
	RACES	0 p 1 E 0 p 0 c
20. INDICATE WHICH YARIE	TY MOST CLOSELY RESEMBLES THA	T SUBMITTED:
CHARACTER	NAME OF VARIETY	CHARACTER NAME OF VARIETY
Plant tillering	Hunter	Seed size Hunter
Leaf size	<u> Hunter</u>	Seed shape Hunter Received
Leaf carriage	Hunter Hunter	Coleoptile elongotion 2548 USA AMS 9
		PHOTIONIC
GENERAL: The following po	ublications may be used as a reference a	id for the standardise for of
Bulletin 1278, Un	ited States Department of Agriculture.	ticum Species and Wheat Varieties Grown in the United States, Technical
(b) W.E. Walls, 1965, seed testing prepa	A Standardized Phenol Method for Testi	ng Wheat Seeds for Varietal Purity, contribution
LEAF COLOR: Nickerson's	Of any recognized color (- 1 11)	ed to determine the leaf toler

14D. Exhibit D. Additional Description of the Variety.

1) Yield and agronomic data.

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WBB28106 has been wide-scale yield tested, using comparative research plots since the 1990 growing season. Testing has been conducted across the area of adaption, including locations in Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, and Arkansas (Table 1).

2) Information on reaction to major diseases.

Leaf rust - Moderate Resistance to prevalent races in southeastern region of the United States. Postulated to have gene Lr 18. Seedling tests conducted at Plant Disease Clinic at the University of Minnesota in cooperation with the USDA Cereal Rust Lab.

Stem rust - Resistant to prevalent races. Postulated to have genes Sr 17 and 36; also tested at Plant Disease Clinic.

<u>Powdery Mildew</u> - Resistant to prevalent races in southeastern region of the United States.

Soil Borne Mosaic and Wheat Spindle Streak Mosaic Viruses - Resistant.

Leaf Blights - Excellent tolerance to the complex of the most common organisms that cause leaf blights; including Septoria tritici blotch, Septoria nodorum blotch, and tan spot.

3) Information on reaction to major insects.

Hessian fly - In field screening experiments, WBB281Q6 has demonstrated resistance to the predominant biotypes of Hessian fly in the Southeastern U.S.

4) Information on milling and baking qualities.

WBB281Q6 has demonstrated very satisfactory milling quality and baking quality as compared to current predominant soft wheat varieties (Table 2).

Table 1. Varietal yield performance and agronomic characteristics as recorded in Pioneer Elite Yield

Tests during the period 1991-1992.

			Test		Heading		Leaf	Powd	Leaf	
	Cultivar		weight lbs/bu	Height 	date Jan. 1	Lodge 1-9¶	rust 1-9¶	mild 1-9¶	blt. 1-9¶	HF @ 1-9¶
	tern States:					6				
17684	/									
2607	WBB28106	81.7	57.2	93.5	97.9	8.3	6.9	7.8	7.0	7.5
111	2548	67.4	52.1	94.5	104.4	8.8	6.9	5.0	7.0	1.0
RAIN	2555	62.3	50.5	102.1	106.0	8.3	5.9	4.7	5.0	9.0
alcak	COK 9766	71.4	54.2	100.3	101.4	3.5	8.2	6.2	7.5	6.0
AAA 21Sept	COK 983	70.6	55.8	88.4	100.0	8.3	6.3	7.1	4.5	1.0
1993	1sd (0.05)	5.0	1.2	4.9	1.9	1.9	1.3	.6	1.1	
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r		22	20	3	4	2	6	·6	1	1
	# years	2	2	2	2	1	2	<u>.</u> 2	1	1
Upper De	lta Region:				2		•			
	WBB28106	85.6	60.7		_	_	_	-	_	-
	2548	65.7	57.8	_	_	_	_	_		
	2555	76.7	56.8	_	_		_		_	
	Cardinal	74.9	59.4				_	_		
	Clark	78.4	59.0	_	_	-	-		_	_
	Claix	/0.4	59.0		- .	-		_	_	
	1sd (0.05)		2.3							
	# loc	3	4		_	_		-	_	_
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Southeastern State Locations: Charles City, VA; Suffolk, VA; Edenton, NC; Plymouth, NC; Greenville, NC; Rowland, NC; Monroe, NC; Darlington, SC; Manning, SC; St. Matthews, SC; Orangeburg, SC; Statesboro, GA; Dublin, GA; Americus, GA.

Upper Delta Region Locations: Russellville, KY; Sikeston, MO; Union City, TN; Forrest City, AR.

 $[\]P$ scale 1 to 9, where 9 = excellent or resistant; 1 = poor or susceptible.

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Table 2. Soft wheat quality data 1990-1992 from the Pioneer Quality Lab, Johnston, Iowa.

VARIETY	FLR YLD	BFL YLD	FLR PRO	FLR WR	CK	TOP GRN	TGR AB	MILLING SCORE	BAKING SCORE
12684" AA	4 215	sept 19	93						1
WBB281Q6 # obs	71.1	34.4	9.3	53.5	19.2 6	4.2	6.7 6	6	8
2548 # obs	68.3	36.2 8	8.4	57.7 8	18.5 5	4.2	7.0 5	5	4
2555 # obs	69.5 9	40.8	8.6	56.1 9	19.3	4.4 6	7.2 6	8	8
COK 9766 # obs	68.3	35.9 9	9.2	56.1 9	18.9 3	5.0 3	4.0	5	6
COK 983 # obs	71.3	36.5 9	9.3	54.0	19.0 6	6.1	6.4	7	8
FL 302 # obs	71.7	37.8	8.6	54.1	19.1 6	4.4 6	6.9	8	8

Trait abbreviations used in the above table.

FLR YLD -- Flour yield (%)

BFL YLD -- Break flour yield (%)

FLR PRO -- Flour protein (%)

FLR WR -- Flour Alkaline Water Retention Capacity (%)

CK -- Cookie diameter (cm)

TOP GRN -- Top grain rating of cookie (1-9) (1= poor , 9= excellent)

TGR AB -- Top grain abnormalities of cookie (1-9) (1= narrow valleys, 9= wide valleys)

MILLING SCORE -- Rating which weights Flour yield 60% and Break flour yield 40% (1= poor, 9= excellent)

BAKING SCORE -- Rating which weights Cookie spread 60% and AWRC 40% (1= poor, 9= excellent)

14E. Exhibit E. Statement of the Basis of Applicant's Ownership

Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., Plant Breeding Division, believes it is the sole, original, and first breeder of the WBB28106 cultivar of soft red winter wheat for which it solicits a certification of protection.

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